School Programs

A trip to Wolfe’s Neck Center isn’t your average field trip. We will take your students out of the classroom to get up close and in depth on our working coastal farm. We specialize in immersive and hands-on outdoor education around farming and food for a learning experience your students won’t forget.

Preschool & Early Learners (Pre-K – 1st Grade)

Farm Explorers, Dairy Discovery, Fantastic Fruits, Pumpkin Science (October only), and Farming in the Seasons

Key Concepts: Animal lifecycles, what animals need, animal adaptations, dairy, seeds, pollination, fruit trees, parts of a plant, seasons, and weather

Middle Learners (2nd – 6th Grade)

Gardens & Greenhouses, Ecosystems (Marsh Madness, Tide Pooling, Forest Ecology), Dairy Discovery, and Cheese Making

Key Concepts: Organic gardening, soils, seeds, greenhouses, fruits vs. veggies, pollinators, Maine's Ecosystems, habitats, biodiversity, dairy animals, grazing & pastures, animal lifecycle, digestive systems, and cooking

Older Learners (7th – 12th Grade)

Cows Fighting Climate Change, Pastures for the Planet: Capturing Carbon, Marshes & Coastal Ecology of Maine, Let’s Regeneratel, and Cheese Making

Key Concepts: Greenhouse gases & effects, digestion (ruminants and humans), carbon sequestration, pastures, rotational grazing, Maine flora and fauna, regenerative agriculture, biodiversity, and climate change

Field trips are offered on Tuesday through Friday depending on availability. We have a variety of programs and themes for different ages of students. While we have age and program recommendations, we are happy to work with schools to customize your experience when possible, so it fits your classes needs!

For more information about school programs at Wolfe’s Neck Center, please contact our education team! The Wolfe’s Neck Center website includes course descriptions, key concepts, and more.